GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services - Allegation of corruption against Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer (Retd), Ayurvedic Dispensary Kummarigeri and Incharge Medical Officer, Municipal Corporation Allopathic Dispensary, Kurnool - Trapped on 16.09.2008 by Anti Corruption Bureau - Disciplinary action initiated - Enquiry conducted and concluded - Punishment of 15% cut in pension for a period of five years against the Charged Officer- Orders - issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.IV.2) DEPARTMENT

<u>G.O.Rt.No. 575</u> <u>Dated:16-05-2011</u>

Read the following:

- 1. From the Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyd.Lr.No.217/RCT-KUR/08-S6,Dt:27.9.2008.
- 2. From the Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyd.Lr.No.217/RCT-KUR/08-S6,Dt:09.6.2009.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.447,MA&UD(Vig.IV.2)Department,Dt:13.7.2009.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No.974, MA&UD(Vig.IV.2)Department,Dt:13.7.2009
- 5. Written Statement dated 22.8.09 of Dr. B.Narasanna, A.M.O.(Retd.)
- 6. G.O.Rt.No.1623,MA&UD(Vig.IV.2)D epartment,Dt:15.12.09.
- 7. From the Regional Director-Cum-Appellate Commissioner Municipal Administration, Anantapur, Rc.No.913/2009/A3, Dt:4.3.2010, forwarded by the Commissioner & Director, MA, Hyderabad, vide Lr.Rc.No.19844/2008-E3,Dt:30.3.2010.
- 8. Govt. Memo No.15601/Vig.IV.2/2008-4,Dt:9.8.2010.
- 9. Representation dated 20.9.10 of Dr.B.Narasanna, Ayur. Medical Officer(Retd.)
- 10.From the Principal Secretary, A.P. Pubic Service Commission, Hyd., Lr.No.335/RT-1/3/2011,dated 11.04.2011

ORDER:-

In reference 1st read above, it has been brought to the notice of the Government, by the appropriate authorities that Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer, Ayurvedic Dispensary, Kummarigeri, while working as in-charge Medical Officer, Allopathic Dispensary, Kurnool, was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau, officials on 16.9.2008, when he demanded and accepted a bribe amount of Rs.2000/- from a Complainant, for doing official favour of issuing of 'Age Certificates' required to get 'Old Age Pension' to the Complainant and 49 others.

- 2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad, in his final report, has recommended for prosecution of the Accused Officer Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer, Ayurvedic Dispensary, Kummarigeri, in the Court of Law, for demanding and acceptance of bribe amount of Rs.2000/- from the Complainant and also recommended for initiation of departmental action, against the Accused Officer for failing to submit the Annual Property Returns to the Department, since the time of his joining ie.,15.1.1981.
- 3. In the reference 3rd and 4th read above, in regard to departmental action, disciplinary action has been initiated and Charges were framed against Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer, Ayurvedic Dispensary, Kummarigeri, under A.P. Revised Pension Rules,1980 and the same were served on the Charged Officer.
- 4. In the reference 5th read above, Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer (Retired) has submitted written statement of his defense, for the charges framed against him. In the reference 6th read above, Sri.P.Muralikrishna Goud, Regional Director-Cum-Appellate Commissioner, Municipal Administration, Anantapur, was appointed as 'Enquiry Officer', to conduct departmental enquiry into the Charges framed against the Charged Officer. In the reference 7th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his enquiry report, wherein the Enquiry Officer held that the charges i.e., the delinquent officer has not submitted his Annual Property Returns for the entire period of his service, is held proved.

- 5. Government, after examination of the enquiry report and in consultation with the appropriate authority, have provisionally decided to withhold 15% of pension, against Dr.B.Narasanna, Medical Officer (Retired), for a period of 5 (five) years' in terms of Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules,1980. Accordingly in the reference 8th read above, a Show-Cause Notice was issued along with copy of the enquiry report, for submission of his representation ,if any, on the proposed punishment. In the reference 9th read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his representation to the Show-Cause Notice. As there were no new grounds to put-forth in his representation for consideration and it has been decided to confirm the provisional decision of 15% cut in pension, of the Charged Officer, for a period of five (5) years. The A.P. Public Service Commission has been consulted. The A.P. Public Service Commission in the letter 10th read above, has conveyed their concurrence to the above proposal of the Government.
- 6. After careful examination of the matter and in consultation with the appropriate authorities, Government hereby impose a punishment of 15% cut in pension, for a period of five (5) years, against Dr.B.Narasanna, Ayurvedic Medical Officer(Retired), Municipal Corporation Ayurvedic Dispensary, Kummarigiri, Kurnool District.
- 7. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

T.S.APPA RAO PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, A.P. Hyderabad.

Dr.B.Narasanna, Ayurvedic Medical Officer(Retired),

Ayurvedic Dispensary, Kummarigeri, through

Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Regional Director-Cum-Appellate Commissioner,

Municipal Administration, Anantapur

The Municipal Commissioner, Kurnool Municipal Corporation, Kurnool.

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad

The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

The Principal Accountant General(A&E)Department, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to M(MA).

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER